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TO:

File

FROM:

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SUBJECT: Citizen's Complaint, Red Dome, Inc., Red Dome Mine, M/027/0032, Millard County, Utah

On January 8, 2009, the Division received an anonymous citizen's complaint alleging that Red Dome, Inc., was mining outside its permitted, bonded area. The complaint contained a page with the statement, "Proof of illegal out of bonded area mining activities at the cinder mine in Fillmore Utah". It also contained an aerial photograph showing alleged "active out of bounds unbounded mining". The Division attempted to determine from whom the complaint was received, but there was not enough information.

Division inspector Tom Munson inspected the site on April 22, 2009, and found that the operator was mining entirely within the permitted and bonded area. There has been some past mining in the area, but the current operator is not responsible for these areas.

